

**4.2.12 Constituent Material Model Identification:**

Purpose: To select the model for the fiber and matrix constituents.

**\*FIBER**

NFIBS=*nfibs*

The following new line is to be repeated for each fiber (*nfibs*):

NF=*nf<sub>f</sub>* **MS=ms<sub>f</sub>** MF=*ncmd<sub>f</sub>* NDPT=*dpt* **TEMP=mtemp** MAT=*mat<sub>f</sub>* &  
**IFM=ifm** **D=d<sub>1</sub>,d<sub>2</sub>,d<sub>3</sub>**

**\*MATRIX**

NMATX=*nmatx*

The following new line is to be repeated for each matrix (*nmatx*):

NM=*nm<sub>m</sub>* **MS=ms<sub>m</sub>** MM=*ncmd<sub>m</sub>* NDPT=*dpt* **TEMP=mtemp** MAT=*mat<sub>m</sub>* &  
**IFM=ifm** **D=d<sub>1</sub>,d<sub>2</sub>,d<sub>3</sub>**

**\*MONOL (available for laminate option only)**

NMON=*nmon*

The following new line is to be repeated for each monolithic material (*nmon*):

NMO=*nmo<sub>iso</sub>* **MS=ms<sub>iso</sub>** MMO=*ncmd<sub>iso</sub>* NDPT=*dpt* **TEMP=mtemp** &  
MAT=*mat<sub>iso</sub>* **IFM=ifm**

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Where:

- nfibs*: - number of different fibers
- nmatx*: - number of different matrices
- nmon*: - number of different monolithic layers
- nf<sub>f</sub>*: - fiber material designation number running from 1 to *nfibs*, sequentially.
- nm<sub>m</sub>*: - matrix material designation number running from 1 to *nmatx*, sequentially.
- nmo<sub>iso</sub>*: - monolithic material designation number running from 1 to *nmon*, sequentially.
- msf**: - fiber material system ID (**required only when using laminate option**)
- ms<sub>m</sub>**: - matrix material system ID. (**required only when using laminate option**)
- ms<sub>iso</sub>*: - monolithic material system ID

*ncmd*: - material model identifier for either fiber, matrix or monolithic layer:  
 1 = Bodner-Partom Model  
 2 = Modified Bodner-Partom Model  
 3 = Robinson Viscoplastic Model  
 4 = Generalized Viscoplastic Potential Structure (GVIPS) Model  
 6 = Transversely Isotropic Elastic Model (2-3 isotropic plane)  
 7 = Transversely Isotropic GVIPS Model (TGVIPS)  
 9 = Local Transversely Isotropic Elastic Model  
  
 99 = User defined model (see note at the end of section for special format instructions)

*mat*: - material identification letter for either fiber or matrix, selected from material database, see **Table II**.

☞ **Note:** By specifying **MAT=U** allows the user to specify the material constants according to the formats specified below.

*dpt*: - flag indicating whether material constants should be temperature independent or temperature dependent  
 1 = Temperature Independent  
 2 = Temperature Dependent

*mtemp*: - the constant temperature at which material properties are to be taken  
**(only required for dpt= 1 and when using database properties)**

*ifm* - flag indicating whether material properties will be read from input file or taken from a user defined function (provided in the USRFUN subroutine) **ONLY NEEDED when MAT=U**.  
 1 = read from input file  
 2 = functional form taken from USRFUN routine

*dj*: - direction vector defining the normal to the plane of local isotropy  
**(only required for ncmd = 3, 7 or 9)**

☞ **Note:** If **modid=1** (Double periodicity) and one desires transverse isotropy using **ncmd= 3,7 or 9** then the strong material direction **must** be specified in the 1-direction.

☞ **Note:** Additional Input is required if the **\*DAMAGE** (section 4.2.6) option is invoked

The following additional data is entered on a new line:

ANG= $\theta$  BN=b BP=b' OMU= $\omega_u$  OMFL= $\omega_{fl}$  OMM= $\omega_m$  ETU= $\eta_u$  &  
 ETFL= $\eta_{fl}$  ETM= $\eta_m$  BE= $\beta$  A=a SFL= $\sigma_{fl}$  XML=M SU= $\sigma_u$  SK=sk %

where:

*sk*:

- = 1 skip fatigue damage calculations for this material
- = 0 perform fatigue damage calculations

The remaining constants are described in section 3.5

☞ **Note:** In addition, for FL=1 (micro failure criteria) in section 4.2.6, the additional data is also required:

T=ss IC=icomp V=val

ss:

- 1 - stress
- 2 - strain

comp:

- 1 - component 11
- 2 - component 22
- 3 - component 33
- 4 - component 23
- 5 - component 13
- 6 - component 12

val - value of failure stress or strain (depending on value of ss)

**Example 1:** select 1 fiber, SCS-6, and 1 matrix material, TIMETAL 21S, both read from database; i.e., SCS-6/TIMETAL 21S composite system

**\*FIBER**

NFIB=1

NF=1 MF=6 NDPT=1 TEMP = 23 MAT=D %

**\*MATRIX**

NMATX=1

NM=1 MM=4 NDPT=1 TEMP = 23 MAT=A %

☞ **Note:** See Section 3.3 for a mathematical description of each material model.

**Example 2:** (select 2 matrix materials; material 1: Boron, read from database, material 2: user supplied properties)

**\*MATRIX**

NMATX=2

NM=1 MM=6 NDPT=1 MAT=U IFM=1 EL=E<sub>L</sub>, E<sub>T</sub>, ν<sub>A</sub>, ν<sub>T</sub>, &  
 G<sub>A</sub>, α<sub>A</sub>, α<sub>T</sub> VI= D<sub>0</sub>, Z<sub>0</sub>, Z<sub>1</sub>, m, n, q K= κ<sub>A</sub>, κ<sub>T</sub>  
 NM=2 MM=1 NDPT=1 MAT=U IFM=1 EL=E<sub>L</sub>, E<sub>T</sub>, ν<sub>A</sub>, ν<sub>T</sub>, &  
 G<sub>A</sub>, α<sub>A</sub>, α<sub>T</sub> VI= D<sub>0</sub>, Z<sub>0</sub>, Z<sub>1</sub>, m, n, q K= κ<sub>A</sub>, κ<sub>T</sub> %

☞ **Note:** The  $\kappa_A, \kappa_T$  data is only required if the \*COND keyword has been used; where  $\kappa_A, \kappa_T$  are the axial and transverse thermal conductivities, respectively.

☞ **Note:** Required Material constants for each model is as follows:

Bodner-Partom:  $ncmd = 1$

Elastic:

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

Inelastic:

$VI= D_0, Z_0, Z_1, m, n, q$

Modified Bodner-Partom:  $ncmd = 2$

Elastic:

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

Inelastic:

$VI= D_0, Z_0, Z_1, Z_2, Z_3, m_1, m_2, n, a_1, a_2, r_1, r_2, Dm_1, Dm_2$

Robinson Viscoplastic:  $ncmd = 3$

Elastic:

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

Inelastic:

$VI= n, m, \mu, \kappa_T, \beta, R, H, \hat{G}_0, \eta, \omega$

Directions:

$D=d_1, d_2, d_3$

GVIPS:  $ncmd = 4$

Elastic:

$EL=E, \nu, \alpha$

Inelastic:

$VI= \mu, \kappa, R_\alpha, R_\kappa, B_0, B_1, L_0, L_1, m, n, p, q, w, Z_0$

Elastic Model:  $ncmd = 6$

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

TGVIPS:  $ncmd = 7$

Elastic:

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

Inelastic:

$VI= \kappa, n, \mu, m, \beta, R, H, G_0, \omega, \eta$

Directions:

$D=d_1, d_2, d_3$

Transversely Isotropic Elastic Model:  $ncmd = 9$

Elastic

$EL=E_L, E_T, \nu_A, \nu_T, G_A, \alpha_A, \alpha_T$

Directions:

$D=d_1, d_2, d_3$

**Table II. MAC/GMC Material Constant Database**

Model	Material	Temperature Dependent ?	Units	<i>mat</i>
Bodner-Partom <i>ncmd</i> = 1 all properties taken from ref [1]	Aluminum (2024-T4)	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	A
	Aluminum (2024-0)	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	B
	Aluminum (6061-0a)	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	C
	Aluminum (6061-0b)	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	D
	Aluminum (pure)	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	E
	Titanium (pure)	No	Pa, sec, °C	F
	Copper (pure)	No	Pa, sec, °C	G
Modified Bodner- Partom <i>ncmd</i> = 2	TIMETAL 21S	Yes	Pa, sec, °C	A
Robinson Visco- plastic <i>ncmd</i> = 3	Kanthal	No, 600°C	ksi, hr, °C	A
	FeCrAlY	Yes	ksi, hr, °C	B
	W/Kanthal (vf=35%)	No, 600°C	ksi, hr, °C	C
GVIPS <i>ncmd</i> = 4	TIMETAL 21S	Yes	ksi, sec, °C	A
Linear Elastic <i>ncmd</i> = 6 All properties are assumed isotropic	Boron	No	Pa, °C	A
	SCS-6	Yes	Pa, °C	B
	Tungsten (W)	No	Pa, °C	C
	Boron	No	ksi, °C	D
	SCS-6	Yes	ksi, °C	E
	Tungsten (W)	No	ksi, °C	F
TGVIPS <i>ncmd</i> = 7	Ti-6-4	Yes	ksi, sec, °C	A
Linear Elastic <i>ncmd</i> = 9 Transversely Isotropic	T50 Graphite	No	Pa, °C	A
	T300 Graphite	No	Pa, °C	B
	P100 Graphite	Yes	Pa, °C	C
	T50 Graphite	No	ksi, °C	D
	T300 Graphite	No	ksi, °C	E
	P100 Graphite	Yes	ksi, °C	F

👉 **Note: Warning:** It is the user's responsibility to ensure that **consistent material property units** are being employed within a given problem. Particularly, when mixing database and user supplied material properties.

☞ **Note:** Even if a material model is temperature independent, it can still be used in a nonisothermal analysis (ndpt=2). Its properties will just not vary with temperature.

☞ **Note: Required Format for User Supplied Non-Isothermal Material Constants:** each of the following data statements are on separate lines.

NTP=  $ntpts$   
 TEM=  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_{ntpts}$   
 EA=  $E_{AT_1}, E_{AT_2}, \dots, E_{AT_{ntpts}}$   
 ET=  $E_{TT_1}, E_{TT_2}, \dots, E_{TT_{ntpts}}$   
 NUA=  $v_{AT_1}, v_{AT_2}, \dots, v_{AT_{ntpts}}$   
 NUT=  $v_{TT_1}, v_{TT_2}, \dots, v_{TT_{ntpts}}$   
 GA=  $G_{AT_1}, G_{AT_2}, \dots, G_{AT_{ntpts}}$   
 ALPA=  $\alpha_{AT_1}, \alpha_{AT_2}, \dots, \alpha_{AT_{ntpts}}$   
 ALPT=  $\alpha_{TT_1}, \alpha_{TT_2}, \dots, \alpha_{TT_{ntpts}}$   
 V1=  $V1_{T_1}, V1_{T_2}, \dots, V1_{T_{ntpts}}$   
 V2=  $V2_{T_1}, V2_{T_2}, \dots, V2_{T_{ntpts}}$   
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 VN=  $VN_{T_1}, VN_{T_2}, \dots, VN_{T_{ntpts}}$   
 D =  $d_1, d_2, d_3$

☞ **Note:** The total number of viscoplastic constants (V1, V2, V3, ... VN) required for each model are described on the bottom of page 71. **For ncmd=4, three extra lines (V15=  $\kappa_0$ , V16=  $B_0$ , V17=  $\beta_K$ ) must be added.** Also, D=  $d_1, d_2, d_3$  is only required when ncmd= 3, 7 or 9.

☞ **Note: Format for User defined material model (ncmd=99):**

Given **User Supplied Isothermal Material Constants**, the following special format is required:

**\*FIBER**  
 NFIBS= $nfibs$

The following line is to be repeated for each fiber (nfibs):

NF= $nf_f$  MS= $ms_f$  MF=99 NDPT= $dpt$  NPE= $npe$  EL= $e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{npe}$  &  
 ALP=  $\alpha_A, \alpha_T$  NPV= $npv$  VI= $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{npv}$  K= $\kappa_A, \kappa_T$  %

**\*MATRIX**

NMATX=*nmatx*

The following line is to be repeated for each matrix (*nmatx*):

NM=*nm<sub>m</sub>* MS=*ms<sub>m</sub>* MM=99 NDPT=*dpt* NPE=*npe* EL=*e<sub>1</sub>, e<sub>2</sub>, ..., e<sub>npe</sub>* &  
ALP=  $\alpha_A, \alpha_T$  NPV=*npv* VI=*v<sub>1</sub>, v<sub>2</sub>, ..., v<sub>npv</sub>* K= $\kappa_A, \kappa_T$  %

Where:

*npe*: - total number of elastic constants (maximum of 9)

*npv*: - total number of inelastic constants (model specific, max of 19)

*e<sub>1</sub>, e<sub>2</sub>, ...* - elastic constants

*v<sub>1</sub>, v<sub>2</sub>, ...* - inelastic constants (model specific)

$\alpha_A, \alpha_T, \dots$  - longitudinal and transverse thermal expansion coefficients

$\kappa_A, \kappa_T, \dots$  - thermal conductivities (if **\*COND** only)

**OR given User Supplied Non-Isothermal Material Constants:**

**\*FIBER**

NFIBS=*nfibs*

The following line is to be repeated for each fiber (*nfibs*):

NF=*nf<sub>f</sub>* MS=*ms<sub>f</sub>* MF=99 NDPT=2 MAT= U IFM= 1  
NPE=*npe* NPV=*npv*

with the following data statements immediately following each material declaration on a separate line.

NTP= *ntpts*

TEM= *T<sub>1</sub>, T<sub>2</sub>, ..., T<sub>ntpts</sub>*

E1= *E<sub>1T<sub>1</sub></sub>, E<sub>1T<sub>2</sub></sub>, ..., E<sub>1T<sub>ntpts</sub></sub>*

E2= *E<sub>2T<sub>1</sub></sub>, E<sub>2T<sub>2</sub></sub>, ..., E<sub>2T<sub>ntpts</sub></sub>*

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Enpe= *E<sub>npeT<sub>1</sub></sub>, E<sub>npeT<sub>2</sub></sub>, ..., E<sub>npeT<sub>ntpts</sub></sub>*

ALPA=  $\alpha_{AT_1}, \alpha_{AT_2}, \dots, \alpha_{AT_{ntpts}}$

ALPT=  $\alpha_{TT_1}, \alpha_{TT_2}, \dots, \alpha_{TT_{ntpts}}$

V1= *V1<sub>T<sub>1</sub></sub>, V1<sub>T<sub>2</sub></sub>, ..., V1<sub>T<sub>ntpts</sub></sub>*

$$\begin{aligned}
 V2 &= V2_{T_1}, V2_{T_2}, \dots V2_{T_{ntpts}} \\
 &\vdots \\
 Vnpv &= Vnpv_{T_1}, Vnpv_{T_2}, \dots Vnpv_{T_{ntpts}} \\
 KA &= \kappa_{AT_1}, \kappa_{AT_2}, \dots \kappa_{AT_{ntpts}} \\
 KT &= \kappa_{TT_1}, \kappa_{TT_2}, \dots \kappa_{TT_{ntpts}}
 \end{aligned}$$

### \*MATRIX

NMATX=*nmatx*

The following line is to be repeated for each matrix (*nmatx*):

NM=*nm<sub>m</sub>* MS=*ms<sub>m</sub>* MM=99 NDPT=2 MAT=U IFM = 1  
NPE=*npe* NPV=*npv*

with the following data statements immediately following each material declaration on a separate line.

$$\begin{aligned}
 NTP &= ntpts \\
 TEM &= T_1, T_2, \dots, T_{ntpts} \\
 E1 &= E_{1T_1}, E_{1T_2}, \dots E_{1T_{ntpts}} \\
 E2 &= E_{2T_1}, E_{2T_2}, \dots E_{2T_{ntpts}} \\
 &\vdots \\
 Enpe &= E_{npeT_1}, E_{npeT_2}, \dots E_{npeT_{ntpts}} \\
 ALPA &= \alpha_{AT_1}, \alpha_{AT_2}, \dots \alpha_{AT_{ntpts}} \\
 ALPT &= \alpha_{TT_1}, \alpha_{TT_2}, \dots \alpha_{TT_{ntpts}} \\
 V1 &= V1_{T_1}, V1_{T_2}, \dots V1_{T_{ntpts}} \\
 V2 &= V2_{T_1}, V2_{T_2}, \dots V2_{T_{ntpts}} \\
 &\vdots \\
 Vnpv &= Vnpv_{T_1}, Vnpv_{T_2}, \dots Vnpv_{T_{ntpts}} \\
 KA &= \kappa_{AT_1}, \kappa_{AT_2}, \dots \kappa_{AT_{ntpts}} \\
 KT &= \kappa_{TT_1}, \kappa_{TT_2}, \dots \kappa_{TT_{ntpts}}
 \end{aligned}$$



☞ **Note:** Required material user subroutines; see **Example K** for details on how they integrate together

USRFUN: - Routine that defines functional form for material properties  
**Required when: ifm=2 and mat=U**

USRFORMDE: - Routine that forms the stiffness matrix. Required when  
ncmd = 99

USRCPEVAL: - Routine that defines the time derivative of the stiffness matrix. Required when:  
a) **ifm=2 and mat=U**  
b) **ncmd=99 AND ifm=1 AND ndpt=2**